

**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q57164

Do-hyoung KIM

Appln. No.: 09/445,769

Group Art Unit: 2182

Confirmation No.: 1355

Examiner: TAMMARA R. PEYTON

Filed: April 19, 2000

For: METHOD FOR DISPLAYING OPERATION STATE OF SYSTEM DEVICE IN  
NETWORK SYSTEM

**RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This responds to the Election of Species Requirement, dated March 29, 2007. The Examiner has identified the application as containing claims directed to more than one distinct species. The Examiner has required the Applicant to elect a single disclosed species for prosecution on the merits to which the claims shall be restricted. The Examiner believes there are no generic claims. Applicant has been advised that a response to this requirement shall include an identification of the species that is elected and a listing of all claims readable thereon.

In response to the Examiner's requirement, Applicant elects Species I, for examination on which claims 2-4, 8, 9 and 13 are readable.

Applicant submits that if any of the elected claims are found to be allowable, claims dependent therefrom should similarly be considered allowable in the same application.

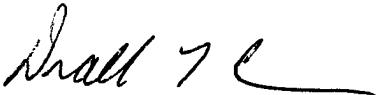
Applicant reserves the right to file a Divisional Application directed to non-elected claims 16, 17 and 18.

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Respectfully submitted,



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